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SASKATCHEWAN POPULATION

	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
		('000)		
1981	970.8	972.7	975.9	979.7
1982	981.9	984.2	987.3	992.3
1983	994.5	997.9	1,001.9	1,005.9
1984	1,008.3	1,011.7	1,015.5	1,019.7
1985	1,021.0	1,022.9	1,025.5	1,027.7
1986	1,027.3	1,027.9	1,029.3	1,029.9
1987	1,030.0	1,031.6	1,032.8	1,032.0
1988	1,029.6	1,028.6	1,028.1	1,025.3
1989	1,021.4	1,020.2	1,019.3	1,015.6
1990	1,010.8	1,009.1	1,007.1	1,003.8
1991	1,002.3	1,002.8	1,002.7	1,001.0
1992	1,001.2	1,002.8	1,004.0	1,003.0
1993	1,003.5	1,005.1	1,006.9	1,007.1
1994	1,007.7	1,008.6	1,009.7	1,010.9
1995	1,011.9	1,012.8	1,014.2	1,015.4
1996	1,016.3	1,017.9	1,019.5	1,020.8
1997	1,020.6	1,020.9	1,022.0	1,022.4
1998	1,023.3	1,023.8	1,024.9	1,026.2
1999	1,026.2	1,025.8	1,025.6	1,024.5
2000	1,023.9	1,022.7	1,022.0	1,021.2
2001	1,019.5	1,018.3	1,017.1	1,015.6
2002	1,014.4	1,012.7	1,011.8	

VITAL STATISTICS

	2nd Quarter			January - December		
	2002p	2001	Change (%)	2001p	2000	Change (%)
Births	3,084	3,120	-1.2	11,969	12,140	-1.4
Deaths	2,246	2,194	2.4	9,294	9,169	1.4
Natural Increase	838	926	-9.5	2,675	2,971	-10.0
Marriages	1,444	1,454	-0.7	5,679	5,729	-0.9

IMMIGRATION NEW CANADIANS

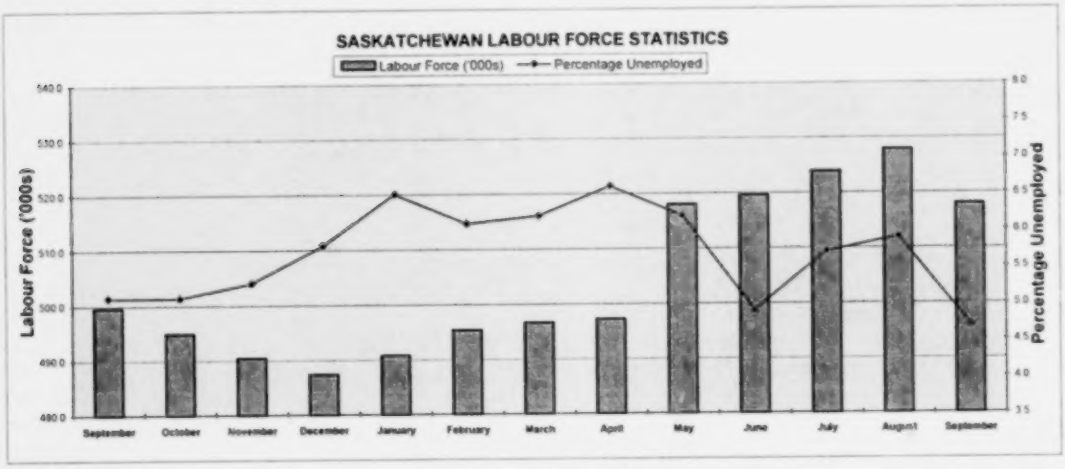
	2002	2001	Change (%)
First Quarter	452	394	14.7
Second Quarter	444	391	13.6

	2001	2000	Change (%)
First Quarter	394	391	0.8
Second Quarter	391	442	-11.5
Third Quarter	557	549	1.5
Fourth Quarter	361	508	-28.9
Annual Total	1,703	1,890	-9.9

LABOUR FORCE AND RELATED DATA

		Total	Labour Force Employed ('000)	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate	Participation Rate (%)
	Saskatchewan					
2000	September	511.4	487.0	24.4	4.8	66.9
	October	509.6	486.1	23.5	4.6	66.7
	November	504.0	481.1	22.9	4.5	66.0
	December	498.5	474.1	24.5	4.9	65.3
	January	500.8	470.0	30.9	6.2	65.6
	February	494.3	463.9	30.4	6.2	64.8
2001	March	497.0	466.8	30.2	6.1	65.2
	April	498.2	465.4	32.8	6.6	65.3
	May	507.3	475.0	32.3	6.4	66.6
	June	508.6	481.5	27.1	5.3	66.8
	July	519.4	487.1	32.3	6.2	68.2
	August	520.4	490.5	29.9	5.7	68.4
	September	499.6	474.2	25.4	5.1	65.7
	October	494.9	469.9	25.0	5.1	65.1
	November	490.4	464.6	25.8	5.3	64.5
	December	487.4	459.2	28.2	5.8	64.1
	January	490.8	458.7	32.1	6.5	64.5
	February	495.3	464.9	30.4	6.1	65.1
2002	March	496.6	465.7	30.9	6.2	65.3
	April	497.2	464.3	32.9	6.6	65.4
	May	518.0	486.1	31.9	6.2	68.2
	June	519.6	494.3	25.3	4.9	68.4
	July	523.9	494.2	29.7	5.7	69.0
	August	527.9	496.8	31.1	5.9	69.6
	September	518.0	493.7	24.3	4.7	68.3

Note: Revised figures based on the 1996 Census.



EMPLOYED PERSONS BY ACTUAL HOURS WORKED

	September 2002			September 2001		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Saskatchewan						
Total ('000)	493.7	268.5	225.1	474.2	261.9	212.3
1-14 hours	40.5	14.8	25.8	33.0	12.0	21.0
15-29 hours	69.4	23.1	46.3	64.2	21.3	42.9
30 plus hours	348.8	214.4	134.4	342.2	212.4	129.8
Not at work	35.0	16.3	18.7	34.8	16.2	18.6

LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS BY AGE AND SEX

	Total	Male	Female	15-24	25+	15-19	20-24	25-44	45+	65+
Saskatchewan										
Labour Force (' 000)										
September 2002	518.0	282.3	235.7	93.5	424.5	41.5	52.0	234.4	190.1	16.9
August 2002	527.9	288.0	239.9	107.8	420.1	48.6	59.2	233.9	186.2	15.5
September 2001	499.6	274.7	224.9	90.9	408.7	37.5	53.3	232.2	176.5	14.6
Employed (' 000)										
September 2002	493.7	268.5	225.1	84.5	409.2	36.2	48.2	224.6	184.6	16.7
August 2002	496.8	272.8	224.0	97.4	399.3	43.0	54.5	222.7	176.7	15.3
September 2001	474.2	261.9	212.3	81.0	393.2	32.6	48.4	221.4	171.8	14.4
Unemployed (' 000)										
September 2002	24.3	13.8	10.5	9.0	15.3	5.3	3.7	9.8	5.5	0.0
August 2002	31.1	15.2	15.9	10.3	20.8	5.6	4.7	11.3	9.5	0.0
September 2001	25.4	12.8	12.5	9.9	15.5	4.9	4.9	10.8	4.7	0.0
Unemployment Rate (%)										
September 2002	4.7	4.9	4.5	9.6	3.6	12.8	7.1	4.2	2.9	0.0
August 2002	5.9	5.3	6.6	9.6	5.0	11.5	7.9	4.8	5.1	0.0
September 2001	5.1	4.7	5.6	10.9	3.8	13.1	9.2	4.7	2.7	0.0
Participation Rate (%)										
September 2002	68.3	75.5	61.3	66.6	68.7	57.8	75.8	88.8	53.7	12.5
August 2002	69.6	77.0	62.4	76.9	68.0	68.1	86.2	88.4	52.6	11.5
September 2001	65.7	73.2	58.4	63.7	66.1	51.4	76.4	86.4	50.5	10.8

Figures set to 0 (zero) if under 500 persons

EMPLOYED LABOUR FORCE BY INDUSTRY

	2002	September 2001 (' 000)	2000
Saskatchewan			
Agriculture	55.7	51.4	61.5
Manufacturing	28.6	26.7	29.1
Construction	28.8	27.2	24.9
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	29.0	28.5	31.7
Trade	78.5	72.7	76.9
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	28.1	26.5	26.3
Service	203.5	191.7	192.6
Public Administration	25.9	28.5	27.7
Other Primary Industries	15.5	19.3	16.5
Total All Industries	**493.7**	**474.2**	**487.0**

Note: Pertains to the week ending September 21, 2002

EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Saskatchewan July 2002p	Regular	Sickness	Maternity	Parental	Training	Other	Jul/02p	Jun/02p	Jul/01r
Total Beneficiaries	12,070	1,020	1,660	3,400	200	180	18,530	15,370	16,150
Male	5,510	390	-	210	110	120	6,340	7,000	5,870
Female	6,560	630	1,660	3,190	90	60	12,190	8,370	10,280
Benefits paid during month ($ ' 000)	13,481	1,212	2,165	4,871	-	177	21,906	18,251	17,112
Number of weeks paid during month	48,570	4,960	7,730	17,270	-	630	79,160	63,920	63,270
Average weekly payments during month * ($)	277.53	244.64	280.17	282.00	-	-	276.79	285.52	270.48

* May exceed maximum weekly benefit due to the inclusion of retroactive payments

SASKATCHEWAN EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS AND HOURS

	All Employees				Salaried Employees			
	Number of Employees ('000)		Avg. Weekly Earnings* ($)		Avg. Standard Work Week** (hours)		Avg. Hourly Earnings* ($)	
	Jul 2002p	Jun 2002r	Jul 2002p	Jun 2002r	Jul 2002p	Jun 2002r	Jul 2002p	Jun 2002r
Goods producing industries	64.4	63.4	835.50	835.39	39.0	38.9	26.78	26.85
Forestry	1.4	1.4	728.61	729.47	39.1	39.0	21.56	21.54
Mining and oil and gas extraction	10.2	10.2	1100.16	1097.20	39.9	40.0	31.48	31.49
Construction	19.3	18.5	727.61	731.16	38.0	37.6	20.28	20.36
Engineering construction	4.4	4.3	797.54	798.31	38.0	37.3	22.21	22.37
Manufacturing	28.9	28.8	781.90	778.02	38.6	38.5	26.59	26.62
Non-durable goods	14.2	14.1	740.31	739.62	38.4	38.2	26.67	26.63
Food	7.4	7.3	658.13	656.65	37.5	37.5	24.78	24.73
Printing & related support activities	1.2	1.1	712.87	716.58	38.5	38.3	21.62	21.54
Durable goods	14.7	14.8	822.08	814.66	38.8	38.8	26.51	26.61
Machinery	4.6	4.7	867.11	865.25	38.4	38.3	27.70	27.65
Agriculture, construction and mining machinery	2.9	3.0	866.59	865.72	38.4	38.3	27.85	27.81
Service producing industries	307.5	319.6	559.06	561.33	37.9	38.2	20.40	20.01
Trade	68.1	67.8	486.15	485.28	39.0	39.0	20.01	19.92
Wholesale trade	17.7	17.8	704.85	699.77	39.3	39.3	21.57	21.39
Retail trade	50.3	50.0	409.03	409.14	38.8	38.8	18.45	18.44
Automobile dealers	4.5	4.6	823.69	824.98	38.3	38.0	24.00	24.17
Gasoline service stations	4.6	4.5	280.26	278.90	34.3	34.1	14.44	14.52
Transportation & warehousing	20.3	20.4	752.36	745.28	41.4	41.5	20.38	20.27
Finance and insurance	18.2	18.2	769.46	764.84	36.2	36.3	23.26	23.54
Real estate, rental & leasing	7.7	7.8	622.44	604.70	38.8	37.9	19.98	20.13
Administrative, support, waste management & remediation service	10.0	10.1	397.20	393.75	37.4	37.5	15.71	15.53
Educational services	21.0	34.3	730.58	698.29	40.1	40.7	19.73	18.50
Elementary & secondary schools	10.5	23.3	794.90	725.62	44.0	44.2	24.25	21.67
Health care & social assistance	50.8	49.9	548.41	548.94	35.1	35.2	18.41	18.57
General medical & surgical hospitals	14.0	14.0	623.35	629.68	35.3	37.0	22.17	21.13
Nursing & residential care facilities	14.6	14.2	490.33	486.81	30.0	30.3	19.46	19.24
Accommodation & food services	33.7	33.7	260.38	262.03	41.2	41.6	12.81	12.71
Food services & drinking places	25.3	25.3	252.04	253.97	43.3	44.2	12.30	12.08
Public Administration	28.6	28.6	701.62	695.98	36.1	35.9	21.92	21.87
Industrial Aggregate	371.9	383.0	606.90	606.67	38.0	38.3	21.26	20.82

* including overtime
** excluding overtime

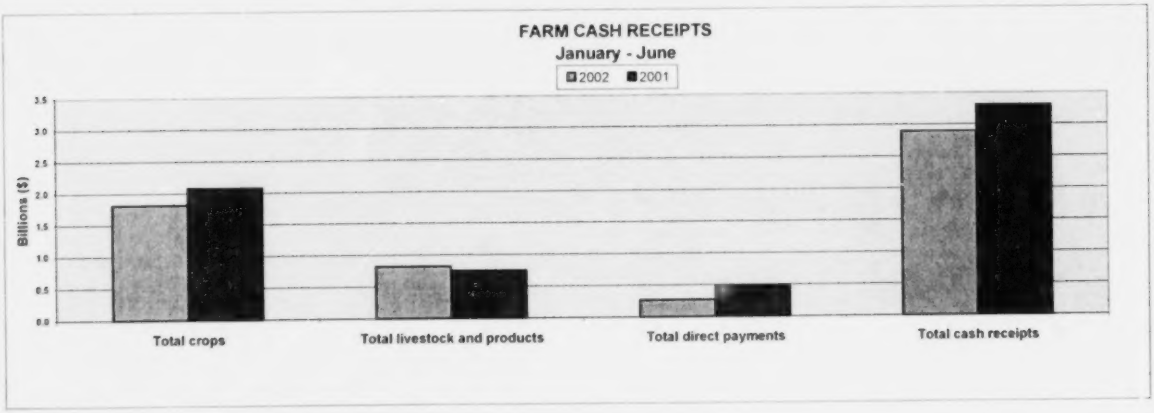
Industrial Aggregate = sum of all industries - with the exception of agriculture, fishing and trapping, private household services, religious organizations and military services.

Note: Data based on the 1997 NAICS.

SASKATCHEWAN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARMING OPERATIONS

	January - June 2002	2001	Change
	($ '000)		(%)
Wheat, excluding durum	345,536	381,752	-9.5
Wheat, excluding durum - CWB payments/1	68,176	136,673	-50.1
Durum	202,176	200,700	0.7
Durum - CWB payments/1	47,736	87,162	-45.2
Oats	43,390	37,152	16.8
Oats, CWB payments/1	-	-	-
Barley	107,240	156,866	-31.6
Barley, CWB payments/1	13,620	36,741	-62.9
Deferred grain receipts	-73,605	-85,563	-14.0
Liquidation of deferred grain receipts	421,292	304,542	38.3
Rye	1,173	1,538	-23.7
Flaxseed	54,417	35,762	52.2
Canola - Rapeseed	276,493	438,562	-37.0
Potatoes	26,185	21,966	19.2
Floriculture and nursery	13,973	12,852	8.7
Forest products	2,359	2,280	3.5
Other crops	260,616	304,892	-14.5
Total crops	1,810,777	2,073,877	-12.7
Cattle	481,199	397,952	20.9
Calves	72,148	85,004	-15.1
Hogs	119,307	130,180	-8.4
Sheep and lambs	4298	4,802	-10.5
Dairy Products	59,068	56,188	5.1
Poultry	27,051	24,888	8.7
Eggs	11,858	10,624	11.6
Other livestock	41,988	37,884	10.8
Total livestock and products	816,917	747,522	9.3
NISA Payments	90,755	89,375	1.5
Crop and hail insurance payments/2	117,267	78,703	49.0
Income Disaster Assistance	55,876	167,986	-66.7
Dairy Subsidy	174	551	-68.4
Other payments	1,156	138,992	-99.2
Total direct payments	265,228	475,607	-44.2
Total cash receipts	2,892,922	3,297,006	-12.3

1. Represents payments made by the Canadian Wheat Board direct to producers.
2. Crop insurance payments include payments under the Crop Insurance Act as well as private hail insurance plans.



SASKATCHEWAN LIVESTOCK MARKETINGS

	July 2002	July 2001	Change (%)	January - July 2002	January - July 2001	Change (%)
Feeder Cattle Exports						
Steers	12,540	14,400	-12.9	218,980	184,550	18.7
Heifers	10,970	10,280	6.7	182,570	142,060	28.5
Cows	460	270	70.4	3,320	3,410	-2.6
Bulls	130	200	-35.0	1,050	1,180	-11.0
Total Feeder Cattle Exports	24,100	25,150	-4.2	405,920	331,200	22.6
Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	2,740	1,800	52.2	56,870	53,980	5.4
Heifers	2,480	2,310	7.4	65,760	67,280	-2.3
Cows	1,450	510	---	9,240	5,890	56.9
Bulls	350	280	25.0	1,750	1,390	25.9
Total Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan	7,020	4,900	43.3	133,620	128,540	4.0
Total Feeder Cattle Marketed	31,120	30,050	3.6	539,540	459,740	17.4
Slaughter Cattle Exports						
Steers	7,470	7,210	3.6	30,500	36,990	-17.5
Heifers	2,770	3,570	-22.4	12,550	14,150	-11.3
Cows	9,160	4,440	---	43,930	29,600	48.4
Bulls	2,630	2,020	30.2	12,120	11,310	7.2
Calves	50	40	25.0	310	330	-6.1
Total Slaughter Cattle Exports	22,080	17,280	27.8	99,410	92,380	7.6
Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	4,940	7,270	-32.0	31,160	33,540	-7.1
Heifers	2,260	1,320	71.2	14,540	11,880	22.4
Cows	5,380	5,410	-0.6	50,000	47,120	6.1
Bulls	680	450	51.1	3,350	2,450	36.7
Calves	-	10	---	10	40	-75.0
Total Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan	13,260	14,460	-8.3	99,060	95,030	4.2
Total Slaughter Cattle Marketed	35,340	31,740	11.3	198,470	187,410	5.9
Total Cattle Marketed	66,460	61,790	7.6	738,010	647,150	14.0
Sheep and lambs	1,629	876	86.0	7,329	4,084	79.5
Hogs Saskatchewan Origin of Slaughter	98,554	81,233	21.3	810,819	659,174	23.0

SASKATCHEWAN AVERAGE PRICE OF SLAUGHTER AND FEEDER CATTLE

	July 2002	July 2001	Change (%)
	$ / 100 lbs		
Slaughter Cattle			
A Steers, Liveweight	88.48	98.06	-9.8
A Heifers, Liveweight	87.81	98.92	-11.2
Cows D1, 2	53.74	66.25	-18.9
Feeder Cattle			
Steers 700-800 lbs	108.46	142.86	-24.1
Steers 600-700 lbs	114.38	153.82	-25.6
Steers 500-600 lbs	120.20	168.58	-28.7

SASKATCHEWAN FARMERS' MARKETING OF GRAIN AT PRIMARY ELEVATORS

	Wheat	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Peas	Flax seed	Canola	Total
	('000) of tonnes							
Period August 26, 2002 to September 29, 2002	391.7	223.4	31.6	174.6	41.5	26.4	224.5	1,113.7
Same period last year	974.6	112.2	174.2	280.6	..	32.9	266.5	1,841.0
Crop year to date	471.2	308.3	35.2	247.3	55.4	43.0	314.4	1,474.8
Same period last year	1,167.3	248.5	187.5	361.7	..	53.5	333.5	2,352.0

EGG PRODUCTION AND DISPOSITION

	August			January - August		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Production						
Average number of layers ('000)	1,055	1,067	-1.1	8,453	8,036	5.2
Eggs per 100 layers	2,190	2,192	-0.1			
Egg production ('000 dozen)	1,926	1,949	-1.2	15,279	14,688	4.0
Disposition						
Sold for consumption						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	1,720	1,711	0.5	13,601	13,049	4.2
Value ($'000)	1,989	1,791	11.1	15,499	13,966	11.0
Farm price (cent per dozen)	115.6	104.7	10.4	114.0	107.0	6.5
Used by producers						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	37	37	-	296	296	-
Value ($'000)	55	45	22.2	437	373	17.2

BANKRUPTCY BY INDUSTRY

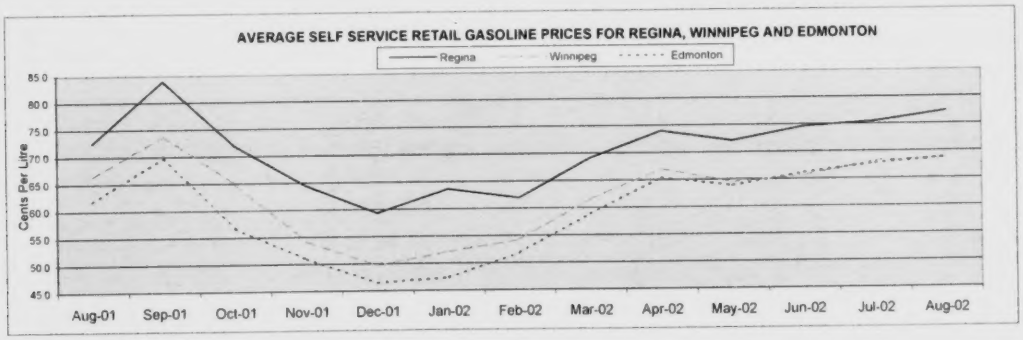
	July			January - July		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Agriculture and related service	4	10	-60.0	36	52	-30.8
Logging and forestry	-	1	---	2	1	---
Mining, quarrying and oil wells	-	-	---	4	-	---
Manufacturing	1	2	-50.0	15	14	7.1
Construction	7	1	---	31	48	-35.4
Transportation and storage	1	7	-85.7	22	41	-46.3
Communication & other utilities	1	-	---	6	3	---
Wholesale trade	-	-	---	4	4	-
Retail trade	4	13	-69.2	36	54	-33.3
Finance and insurance	-	-	---	-	-	---
Real estate operators and insurance agents	-	-	---	-	1	---
Business service	1	-	---	6	4	50.0
Health and social service	-	4	---	2	10	-80.0
Accommodation food and beverage	1	4	-75.0	29	33	-12.1
Other service	2	6	-66.7	25	27	-7.4
Total Industries	22	48	-54.2	218	292	-25.3
Bankruptcy by consumer	181	162	11.7	1 231	1,175	4.8
Canada						
Bankruptcy by industry	701	727	-3.6	5,856	6,241	-6.2
Bankruptcy by consumer	6,263	6,088	2.9	45,888	46,056	-0.4

RETAIL SALES BY TRADE GROUP

	July			January - July		
	2002p	2001r	Change	2002p	2001r	Change
	$ Millions		(%)	$ Millions		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Supermarkets and grocery stores	186.6	172.8	8.0	1,212.8	1,152.1	5.3
All other food stores	4.8	5.0	-3.8	40.3	32.4	24.6
Drugs and patent medicine stores	32.0	29.9	6.8	232.2	218.3	6.4
Shoe stores	2.2	1.9	14.3	15.1	14.1	7.1
Men's clothing stores	2.1	2.2	-4.5	15.4	15.9	-3.2
Women's clothing stores	9.4	7.6	23.2	60.6	52.4	15.7
Other clothing stores	13.4	13.8	-2.9	90.8	89.1	1.9
Household furniture & appliances	22.8	20.6	10.6	155.4	141.2	10.1
Household furnishings stores	6.3	5.1	24.5	36.6	38.3	-4.3
Recreational & motor vehicle dealers	228.4	190.5	19.9	1,427.9	1,237.7	15.4
Gasoline service stations	73.4	65.2	12.5	423.1	419.2	0.9
Auto. parts, accessories & services	51.9	42.3	22.8	303.1	285.4	6.2
General merchandise stores	94.1	88.2	6.7	615.4	588.4	4.6
Other semi-durable goods stores	18.3	16.5	10.4	111.5	107.6	3.7
Other durable goods stores	15.7	15.2	3.2	98.9	101.1	-2.2
Other retail stores	30.1	29.1	3.2	174.0	174.3	-0.1
Total all stores	791.3	705.9	12.1	5,013.1	4,667.3	7.4
Canada						
Total retail trade	26,506.1	24,523.0	8.1	171,882.2	162,015.0	6.1

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICE OF REGULAR UNLEADED GASOLINE

	Full Service Stations			Self-Serve Stations		
	August 2002	July 2002	August 2001	August 2002	July 2002	August 2001
	cents per litre					
St. John's	82.3	80.3	79.6	79.3	77.2	76.9
Charlottetown - Summerside	72.6	69.5	74.1	70.8	67.7	73.0
Sydney	81.9	79.9	75.9	79.2	77.0	73.9
Halifax	80.3	77.4	74.0	77.9	74.9	71.8
Moncton	80.0	75.7	72.6	76.9	73.5	71.3
Chicoutimi	75.8	72.0	71.7	75.4	71.7	70.5
Quebec City	75.9	73.7	72.4	75.4	72.8	71.9
Trois Rivieres	74.7	72.3	71.3	74.8	71.9	70.9
Montreal	76.7	75.1	74.5	75.3	73.5	73.5
Ottawa	70.7	68.0	69.0	68.7	66.6	66.9
Toronto	71.5	70.2	67.4	70.3	69.0	64.8
London	73.5	69.4	67.7	71.0	69.5	67.5
Windsor	75.4	70.1	68.7	70.4	68.6	68.2
Sudbury	73.1	70.3	72.3	71.3	68.0	68.0
Thunder Bay	77.8	75.3	75.1	74.7	73.2	73.6
Winnipeg	69.4	68.8	66.9	68.7	68.2	66.3
Regina	78.1	76.4	72.8	77.3	75.4	72.5
Saskatoon	78.4	75.5	73.4	77.7	75.1	72.4
Edmonton	70.8	69.5	61.1	68.8	67.8	61.8
Calgary	72.0	68.3	65.5	71.2	67.2	63.9
Prince George	76.4	74.4	71.9	75.9	74.2	70.9
Vancouver	76.0	76.0	69.4	74.0	73.7	67.2
Victoria	79.0	79.0	72.9	77.9	77.9	71.9



NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES

	July			January - July		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
	Number					
Passenger Cars:						
Manufactured in North America	1,261	1,050	20.1	7,818	7,250	7.8
Manufactured in Japan	157	111	41.4	983	740	32.8
Manufactured in other countries	135	151	-10.6	940	881	6.7
Commercial Vehicles:						
Manufactured in North America	1,701	1,446	17.6	13,260	11,999	10.5
Manufactured Overseas	146	100	46.0	960	655	46.6
Total	3,400	2,858	19.0	23,961	21,525	11.3

HOUSING STATISTICS

	2nd Quarter			January - June		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Dwelling starts	760	561	35.5	1,145	878	30.4
Dwelling completions	624	540	15.6	1,057	1,064	-0.7
Dwellings under construction, end of period	1,289	927	39.1			
Dwelling Starts						
Saskatchewan/1	579	439	31.9	910	679	34.0
Estevan	3	0	---	3	0	---
Lloydminster/2	9	4	---	11	6	83.3
Moose Jaw	9	13	-30.8	10	14	-28.6
North Battleford	5	7	-28.6	5	8	-37.5
Prince Albert	30	34	-11.8	30	41	-26.8
Swift Current	4	6	-33.3	5	8	-37.5
Yorkton	18	22	-18.2	19	24	-20.8
Dwelling Completions						
Saskatchewan/1	478	476	0.4	789	864	-8.7
Estevan	3	2	50.0	4	3	33.3
Lloydminster/2	3	4	-25.0	8	7	14.3
Moose Jaw	3	7	-57.1	8	20	-60.0
North Battleford	2	20	-90.0	6	22	-72.7
Prince Albert	10	30	-66.7	30	57	-47.4
Swift Current	3	9	-66.7	7	12	-41.7
Yorkton	51	6	---	67	39	71.8
Dwellings under Construction						
Saskatchewan/1	988	657	50.4			
Estevan	2	0	---			
Lloydminster/2	8	6	33.3			
Moose Jaw	8	16	-50.0			
North Battleford	5	7	-28.6			
Prince Albert	31	45	-31.1			
Swift Current	6	15	-60.0			
Yorkton	25	25	-			

	August			January - August		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Dwelling Starts						
Regina Metro	35	40	-12.5	390	315	23.8
Saskatoon Metro	152	52	---	824	568	45.1
Dwelling Completions						
Regina Metro	31	44	-29.5	339	351	-3.4
Saskatoon Metro	65	52	25.0	634	606	4.6
Dwellings under Construction						
Regina Metro	381	194	96.4			
Saskatoon Metro	595	396	50.3			

1 Centres of 10,000 population and over
2 Saskatchewan part only

VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION

	Residential	Industrial	Commercial	Institutional & Government	Total
			($ '000)		
August, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	30,068	1,381	17,456	6,468	55,373
Estevan	210	40	1,768	-	2,018
Weyburn	564	-	27	-	591
Regina	5,857	73	2,733	1,237	9,900
Moose Jaw	557	-	258	28	843
Swift Current	317	-	29	100	446
Saskatoon	11,571	108	8,891	1,376	21,946
Humboldt	198	-	-	-	198
Melville	12	-	-	-	12
Yorkton	534	-	19	-	553
Melfort	65	-	-	443	508
North Battleford	32	-	12	719	763
Prince Albert	1,152	937	2,340	2,100	6,529
Lloydminster *	2,847	-	136	-	2,983
August, 2001					
Saskatchewan **	25,366	2,895	17,123	4,845	50,229
Estevan	349	-	3,020	-	3,369
Weyburn	407	110	255	-	772
Regina	3,947	5	2,717	1,948	8,617
Moose Jaw	383	300	820	-	1,503
Swift Current	60	-	95	-	155
Saskatoon	11,483	720	6,914	835	19,952
Humboldt	104	-	-	-	104
Melville	56	70	300	4	430
Yorkton	466	374	27	-	867
Melfort	41	-	119	-	160
North Battleford	326	-	350	650	1,326
Prince Albert	773	-	1,624	227	2,624
Lloydminster *	2,429	68	1,120	-	3,617
January - August, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	190,945	22,549	138,416	119,651	471,561
Estevan	1,373	119	2,822	10,388	14,702
Weyburn	2,967	-	638	4	3,609
Regina	39,074	1,399	38,102	4,570	83,145
Moose Jaw	2,623	306	6,825	292	10,046
Swift Current	1,658	14	188	274	2,134
Saskatoon	69,778	2,921	53,135	60,237	186,071
Humboldt	1,861	21	700	-	2,582
Melville	369	-	25	2	396
Yorkton	4,614	204	700	9,539	15,057
Melfort	618	-	3,096	14,449	18,163
North Battleford	578	254	7,436	1,329	9,597
Prince Albert	5,446	3,689	8,377	5,962	23,474
Lloydminster *	22,126	1,257	2,755	250	26,388
January - August, 2001					
Saskatchewan **	151,408	56,173	147,141	116,357	471,079
Estevan	632	831	3,843	179	5,485
Weyburn	2,001	247	624	671	3,543
Regina	30,024	3,815	43,782	50,099	127,720
Moose Jaw	3,887	450	5,012	11,424	20,773
Swift Current	1,238	216	852	501	2,807
Saskatoon	48,848	33,020	41,626	25,296	148,790
Humboldt	2,440	97	545	-	3,082
Melville	162	70	306	11,128	11,666
Yorkton	3,954	374	1,381	743	6,452
Melfort	715	14	1,306	824	2,859
North Battleford	1,376	1,393	2,632	1,188	6,589
Prince Albert	5,758	-	23,671	1,077	30,506
Lloydminster *	18,316	1,622	7,300	3,000	30,238

* includes both Alberta and Saskatchewan parts

** does not include Lloydminster

VALUE OF SHIPMENTS OF GOODS MANUFACTURED

Saskatchewan Industry Group:	July 2002p ($ '000)	July 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - July 2002p ($ '000)	January - July 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)
Food	150,205	145,374	3.3	1,012,779	1,022,211	-0.9
Beverage	12,892	10,873	18.6	63,340	57,467	10.2
Wood	33,945	26,152	29.8	227,158	163,161	39.2
Printing & Related Support Activites	9,307	8,435	10.3	56,728	61,075	-7.1
Metal fabrication (except machine & transportation equipment industry)	41,645	44,028	-5.4	239,175	240,524	-0.6
Machines	44,008	46,820	-6.0	409,914	367,915	11.4
Electrical Equipment	17,911	32,436	-44.8	141,180	283,105	-50.1
Computer and Electronic	6,881	6,354	8.3	52,871	46,864	12.8
Non-metallic mineral products	16,041	13,867	15.7	62,474	64,153	-2.6
Chemical & chemical products	23,133	41,774	-44.6	424,284	463,507	-8.5
N.E.S.	237,718	219,721	8.2	1,565,938	1,555,464	0.7
Total Value/1	593,686	595,834	-0.4	4,255,841	4,325,446	-1.6

1 Total includes the value of shipments for the industries for which individual data must be suppressed to comply with the Statistics Act.

EXPORTS ORIGINATING IN SASKATCHEWAN

	July 2002 ($ '000)	July 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - July 2002 ($ '000)	January - July 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	276,600	328,300	-15.7	2,197,900	2,442,600	-10.0
Energy Products	233,600	280,200	-16.6	1,436,800	1,661,300	-13.5
Forestry Products	51,900	53,100	-2.3	330,500	330,600	0.0
Industrial Goods	159,200	178,800	-11.0	2,001,000	2,079,900	-3.8
Machinery and Equipment	35,600	39,800	-10.6	279,300	285,400	-2.1
Automotive Products	7,100	7,700	-7.8	57,700	47,300	22.0
Consumer Goods	3,000	2,500	20.0	20,800	24,600	-15.4
Special Transactions	5,600	6,200	-9.7	66,900	73,900	-9.5
Total Exports	772,600	896,600	-13.8	6,390,900	6,945,600	-8.0

IMPORTS CLEARED IN SASKATCHEWAN

	July 2002 ($ '000)	July 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - July 2002 ($ '000)	January - July 2001 ($ '000)	Change (%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	20,800	18,600	11.8	160,400	140,400	14.2
Energy Products	5,400	5,100	5.9	41,600	31,900	30.4
Forestry Products	2,300	2,500	-8.0	19,000	17,700	7.3
Industrial Goods	86,200	106,500	-19.1	778,200	967,400	-19.6
Machinery and Equipment	128,100	171,800	-25.4	1,051,500	1,147,400	-8.4
Automotive Products	43,100	66,100	-34.8	313,400	455,600	-31.2
Consumer Goods	20,000	21,300	-6.1	135,600	140,600	-3.6
Special Transactions	2,200	3,400	-35.3	22,900	23,700	-3.4
Total Imports	308,100	395,300	-22.1	2,522,600	2,924,700	-13.7

RESTAURANT, CATERER, AND TAVERN RECEIPTS

Saskatchewan	July 2002p ($ '000)	July 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)	January - July 2002p ($ '000)	January - July 2001r ($ '000)	Change (%)
Full Service Restaurants	46,203	44,676	3.4	284,103	297,815	-4.6
Limited Service Restaurants	29,828	28,831	3.5	172,550	178,654	-3.4
Caterers	11,601	7,244	60.1	67,218	44,812	50.0
Taverns	1,769	1,858	-4.8	12,951	16,184	-20.0
Total	89,402	82,609	8.2	536,822	537,465	-0.1

MINERAL PRODUCTION

	Units of Measure	June 2002	June 2001	Change (%)	January - June 2002	January - June 2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan							
Crude Oil	' 000 m3	1,942	1,991	-2.5	12,039	12,120	-0.7
Natural Gas	' 000, 000 m3	678	674	0.7	4,136	4,082	1.3
		July 2002p	**July 2001**	**Change (%)**	**January - July 2002p**	**January - July 2001**	**Change (%)**
Salt	' 000 Tonnes	40	33	22.5	439	402	9.0
Sodium Sulphate	' 000 Tonnes	9	12	-30.1	132	97	36.2
Potash K2O	' 000 Tonnes	163	204	-20.3	4,967	4,690	5.9
Other*	' 000,000 Kgs	971	983	-1.2	5,902	6,703	-11.9

* Includes Potassium Sulphate, Ammonium Sulphate, Bentonite, Coal and Uranium
Gold and Base metal will be included quarterly

TOTAL SALES OF SELECTED PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

	August 2002	August 2001	Change (%)	January - August 2002	January - August 2001	Change (%)
	Cubic Metres			Cubic Metres		
Saskatchewan						
Propane & propane mixes	4,447	5,132	-13.3	38,620	38,909	-0.7
Butane & butane mixes	7,747	5,485	41.2	55,958	52,842	5.9
Aviation gasoline	674	668	0.9	6,008	5,017	19.8
Motor gasoline	169,259	175,867	-3.8	1,128,865	1,140,153	-1.0
Premium	4,210	3,177	32.5	30,464	27,013	12.8
Mid grade	720	846	-14.9	5,811	6,410	-9.3
Regular no-lead	164,329	171,844	-4.4	1,092,700	1,106,730	-1.3
Aviation turbo fuel	5,718	7,028	-18.6	47,323	51,582	-8.3
Kerosene stove oil	129	202	-36.1	6,769	5,819	16.3
Diesel fuel	144,468	182,505	-20.8	941,527	951,553	-1.1
Light fuel	97	103	-5.8	7,236	9,755	-25.8
Heavy fuel	11,318	12,444	-9.0	93,774	44,290	—
Asphalt	18,819	31,867	-40.9	72,277	87,227	-17.1
Lube oils & grease	2,905	4,136	-29.8	40,383	39,823	1.4
Total net sales, all products	368,341	426,355	-13.6	2,474,173	2,438,148	1.5

ELECTRIC ENERGY STATISTICS

	2nd Quarter 2001	2nd Quarter 2000	Change (%)	January - June 2001	January - June 2000	Change (%)
Saskatchewan	GWh			GWh		
Supply						
Production	4,029	3,996	0.8	8,516	8,739	-2.6
Inter-regional transfers	351	335	4.7	823	536	53.6
Total Supply	4,380	4,331	1.1	9,338	9,274	0.7
Disposition						
Manufacturing	861	809	6.5	1,772	1,680	5.5
Mining	1,039	1,004	3.5	2,045	1,943	5.3
Pipelines	354	315	12.1	706	645	9.6
Public Administration	75	89	-16.1	162	176	-8.1
Commercial/Institutional	859	957	-10.2	1,763	1,965	-10.3
Residential	589	575	2.4	1,446	1,390	4.0
Agriculture	340	320	6.2	674	649	3.8
Producer Consumption	263	262	0.3	771	827	-6.8
Total Disposition	4,380	4,331	1.1	9,338	9,274	0.7

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
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	All-items	Food	Shelter	Household Operations & Furnishings	Clothing & Footwear	Trans-portation	Health & Personal Care	Recreation Education & Reading	Tobacco & Alcohol
Saskatchewan									
July, 2002	121.1	117.2	128.8	111.6	107.5	130.6	112.3	123.0	111.6
August	121.2	117.2	128.9	111.8	109.1	130.6	112.1	123.0	112.9
September	122.1	115.5	129.0	111.6	111.1	134.8	112.2	124.7	113.3
October	121.2	115.4	129.4	111.5	111.4	130.2	112.5	124.2	113.0
November	120.4	116.3	127.5	111.0	110.2	127.9	112.6	123.6	114.5
December	120.3	118.3	127.4	112.2	107.8	125.8	112.3	123.2	114.8
January, 2002	120.9	119.4	128.7	112.5	106.9	126.8	111.6	123.7	115.2
February	120.8	118.5	128.7	112.6	108.1	125.9	112.8	124.3	115.1
March	121.8	117.8	128.8	113.2	111.1	129.0	112.0	125.3	118.2
April	123.5	118.1	129.4	112.8	110.9	132.6	112.7	125.3	137.4
May	123.7	118.8	129.6	112.4	110.4	132.3	113.0	126.6	138.8
June	123.9	118.6	129.6	112.8	107.3	132.7	113.0	127.6	142.7
July	124.2	118.6	129.5	112.9	108.2	133.3	112.8	127.8	145.5
August	124.4	117.9	129.9	112.7	108.9	134.5	113.4	127.9	145.8
% change August, 2002 over July, 2002	0.2	-0.6	0.3	-0.2	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.1	0.2
% change August, 2002 over August, 2001	2.6	0.6	0.8	0.8	-0.2	3.0	1.2	4.0	29.1
Canada									
July, 2002	117.1	118.6	113.7	112.4	105.8	130.4	114.8	126.2	105.7
August	117.1	117.7	113.7	112.5	106.6	130.9	114.2	126.2	106.4
September	117.4	116.9	113.4	113.2	107.9	133.0	114.2	126.0	106.5
October	116.8	116.8	113.6	113.0	107.2	130.3	115.0	124.5	106.8
November	115.8	117.3	112.0	112.7	105.2	126.9	114.7	123.2	111.7
December	115.9	118.6	112.6	113.0	103.7	126.0	114.5	122.9	111.9
January, 2002	116.2	120.0	112.7	112.9	102.3	126.9	114.3	122.3	112.2
February	116.9	120.6	113.1	113.1	105.4	127.5	114.8	124.1	112.9
March	117.7	120.4	113.1	113.7	107.1	130.5	114.5	124.9	114.1
April	118.4	120.9	112.8	113.9	106.6	133.8	115.3	124.7	116.8
May	118.6	120.4	113.1	113.8	104.6	134.1	115.7	126.8	118.8
June	119.0	120.9	113.1	114.0	104.2	134.0	115.9	127.2	124.1
July	119.6	120.9	113.2	114.2	105.0	135.4	115.4	128.4	129.5
August	120.1	120.2	114.2	114.3	105.0	137.0	115.6	128.5	129.8
% change August, 2002 over July, 2002	0.4	-0.6	0.9	0.1	0.0	1.2	0.2	0.1	0.2
% change August, 2002 over August, 2001	2.6	2.1	0.4	1.6	-1.5	4.7	1.2	1.8	22.0
Regina									
July, 2002	125.1		132.3						
August	125.3		132.7						
% change August, 2002 over July, 2002	0.2		0.3						
% change August, 2002 over August, 2001	2.5		0.5						
Saskatoon									
July, 2002	123.7		126.0						
August	123.9		126.3						
% change August, 2002 over July, 2002	0.2		0.2						
% change August, 2002 over August, 2001	2.8		1.4						

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